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D.K. Dittrich et al. )  
Serial No.: 09/535,857 )  
Filed: March 27, 2000 )  
For: METHOD, SYSTEM, PROGRAM, AND  
DATA STRUCTURE FOR PRODUCING  
A LOOK-UP TABLE TO ENHANCE  
PRINT QUALITY )  
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Examiner: Jerome Grant II

Art Unit: 2626



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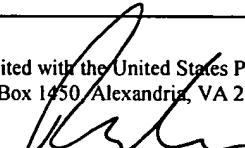


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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the non-final office action dated March 12, 2004 ("Office Action"), in which the Examiner rejected claims 1-3, 6, 13-15, 19, 25-27, 30, 37, and 38 as anticipated (35 U.S.C. §102) by prior art. The Examiner objected to claims 4, 5, 7-12, 16, 17, 19-24, 28, 29, 31-36, and 39, but did not state any grounds for objection. Applicants traverse the prior art rejections and submit that all pending claims are patentable over the cited art and in condition for allowance for the reasons discussed herein.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3.

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